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Applicant : McDonald, Russell W. et al
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Commissioner for Patents
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Amendment in Response to Examiner's Action of Sept 26, 2005

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification: None.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: None.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.

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